

Eastern Mountains Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on March 1, 2009, Source TWS-W58

Statewide Total

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of children in OOHC with active placements (note E, F)	526		7103	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	173	32.9	2224	31.3
Placed in PCC Residential	85	16.2	1183	16.7
Placed in Relative Placement	9	1.7	442	6.2
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	232	44.1	2897	40.8
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	206	39.2	2508	35.3
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	11	2.1	236	3.3
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	15	2.9	153	2.2
Placed in Detention center	2	0.4	27	0.4
Placed in independent living or education setting	17	3.2	135	1.9
Placed in psychiatric hospitals	8	1.5	195	2.7
Placed out of state (note B)	3	0.6	143	2.0
Age at First Entry into Foster Care				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	95	18.1	1167	16.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	60	11.4	822	11.6
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	84	16.0	1068	15.0
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	133	25.3	1719	24.2
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	154	29.3	2327	32.8
Demographics				
African American Children	7	1.3	1361	19.2
Children with a Goal of Adoption	165	38.4	1856	29.9
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	217	50.5	3317	53.4
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	28	6.5	523	8.4
Average Age of Entry into foster care	7.6		7.9	
Average Age Now	10.5		10.7	
Average # Months in Care at this point in time	25.5		25.3	
Average Percent of Life in Care	31.3		28.5	
Average Number of Days to reenter for those with any reentry	422.7		610.6	
Average Number of Placements this removal episode	3.1		3.3	
Cost Data				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	471		6,084	
Average Cost Per Day for child with Per Diem payments	\$68.46		\$73.39	
Average cost per child for average months in care (note D)	\$53,201.96		\$56,510.59	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, medically fragile homes.

B. Includes relative placements, adoptive homes, treatment facilities, and homes just over the border.

C. Other goals include placement with relatives, planned permanent living or the goals have not been determined.

D. Total costs per child will be higher because children in this number have not exited care.

E. Includes 47 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 1 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.